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MONDAY, APRIL 5, 1909.

## APRIL 5 IN HISTORY.

- 1648—Elihu Yale, the chief patron of Yale College, born in New Haven, Conn. Died in London, July 8, 1721.
- 1776—Georgia instructed her delegates for independence.
- 1800—William Cowper, English poet, died. Born in 1731.
- 1814—Napoleon I abdicated the throne of France.
- 1855—Gore expedition left St. Louis to explore the headwaters of the Powder river in Montana.
- 1862—Federals commenced the siege of Yorktown, Va.
- 1864—House of representatives adopted resolutions declaring that France would not be allowed to form a monarchy in Mexico.
- 1876—Impeachment trial began of William W. Belknap, secretary of war.
- 1904—Chicago voted for municipal ownership of street railways.

Next Sunday is Easter, but before that time old East Texas has put on a glorious robe of rich green, and is a picture of an earthly paradise.

The Beaumont Journal is now issuing one of the biggest and best Sunday morning editions in the state. The Journal is a live wire every day in the week, and is giving Beaumont a real newspaper.

Notwithstanding the job pays eleven dollars per day, all of these golden days are passing away with no Texas patriot drawing the salary of railroad commissioner, an office now vacant, but eagerly waited for by a long list of nobles.

Every day brings us nearer the city election. Are you thinking about it? This is the most important election held in Palestine in many years, and it will be a great misfortune if a mistake is made in the selection of men to handle and direct the affairs of the city.

No town on the map today has a cleaner and more dependable lot of business people than this saintly town of Palestine. The men in business here are not only dependable as to the values they offer, but they are honorable one to the other, and live in harmony. The people have cause to congratulate themselves that the town has such merchants.

The Texas newspapers reflect in no uncertain way the prosperity of this great state, and they also reflect the hustling qualities of the Texas business men. Texas papers are among the best patronized in the country, and every one of them is an optimist with a big O. The state has no greater asset today than its splendid papers.

A fire like that of Saturday afternoon in Fort Worth had it occurred a few years ago would have almost put that town out of business, but not now. If you will keep your eyes on the Packing City for the next little while you will see something doing over that way that will make you know that the Fort is a very live city. It is one of the coming cities of the great southwest.

The Grand Leader is celebrating its fourteenth birthday today, and the Herald finds pleasure in offering congratulations to the progressive management of the store, and also congratulates the town in possessing such a store. The Grand Leader has

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been a constant and good friend to the Herald, and the Herald feels very kindly to the store, so kind that it wishes it many, many more years of continued prosperity and growth.

The people of Palestine need to get together on some positive line of action and work altogether to bring about results. We cannot scatter our efforts all over the earth and expect to accomplish much. The Herald believes that if we devoted our whole public effort to the locating of new people in this county for the next two years, and went about this one task earnestly and with a determination to get results, that we would get results and build up a county that would in time make us the most prosperous people in the country.

A number of Texas towns suffered heavy fire losses Saturday and Sunday night. The high winds helped the destructive flames in their destruction. In Fort Worth twenty blocks of residence property were destroyed, including three handsome church buildings. In Dallas two big fires occurred, Mineola had a big compress fire and at Temple much valuable property was destroyed. Houston, too, had a big elevator fire. It was a bad day for the insurance companies and a worse one for the people who lost their property.

Texas people will never come into their own until they quit sending all of their raw materials across the world to be manufactured and sold back to us as the manufactured article, we paying all of the cost of transportation and manufacture and profits. Texas has the goods and should also be the manufacturer. It is one of the most absurd things in the world that the south should virtually the cotton supply of the world and yet have to import nearly all of her cotton goods from a country that does not raise a pound of cotton.

Hon. Bascom Thomas, recently expelled from the state senate for charges he made against members of the legislature, was on Saturday re-elected to his office by the people of his district by an overwhelming majority, and will now return to the senate chamber to give his colleagues the merry ha ha. The re-election of Thomas was not so much a compliment to him as it is a rebuke to the senate. It is to be hoped now that if Thomas feels called upon to make any further charges as to graft he will have his evidence in better shape than on the former occasion, and be able to point to specific cases.

Some people insist on misunderstanding the Herald's position in the legislative muddle, and pretend to believe that the Herald wants to see all of the so-called platform demands made into laws. That is not true by any means, but on the contrary this paper thinks some of the demands are untimely and would be hurtful to the state if enacted into laws. But what the Herald is contending for is that the people shall be so aroused by the present contest that they will take more interest in future state conventions and not leave the making of the platform so much to the lawyer-politician who constructs the platform with the sole view of catching votes. If we do not mean a thing then let's not put it in our platform of declarations.

We Guarantee Satisfaction  
On furniture repairing,  
Stove and range repairing,  
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Mattresses made to order and furniture and household goods packed for shipping.

We also buy and sell all kinds of second-hand furniture and household supplies.

Jackson Furniture Co.,  
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Mr. F. G. Fritts, Oneonta, N. Y., writes: "My little girl was greatly benefited by taking Foley's Kidney Remedy, and I think it is the best remedy for constipation and liver trouble." Foley's Kidney Remedy is best for women and children, as it is mild, pleasant and effective, and is a splendid spring medicine, as it cleanses the system and clears the complexion. Bratton Drug Co.

## SEVEN ADDED TO CHURCH

Large Audiences Greet Evangelists  
Harlow and Dawdy—Meeting  
Opens With Enthusiasm.

The opening services of the meeting at the Christian church yesterday were most encouraging. A large congregation, composed largely of the members of the church, greeted the evangelists at the morning service, and the large auditorium was filled last night. The Sunday school caught the spirit of the day, and closed an enthusiastic service with three hundred and ninety present.

Prof. F. F. Dawdy, who is to have charge of the music during the meeting, won prompt recognition as a musician. At the morning service he sang as a solo, "His Eye is on the Sparrow," and the entire audience knew that a master of song was with them. Prof. Dawdy plays his own accompaniment on the organ, and hundreds of people were astonished at the possibilities of the instrument. The chorus is already large, but it is hoped that many other singers will render assistance. A most cordial invitation was extended to all singers to help in the service of song.

Those who have been reading the reports of Rev. Harlow's wonderful meetings during the past few years expected great messages from him, and they were not disappointed. If yesterday's sermons may be taken as an earnest of those to come, the people of Palestine have a rare treat in store. The morning sermon, "Self-Examination," was a heart-searching appeal to each one present to measure his life by the Divine Standard revealed in the bible. Four came forward in response to the invitation, and united with the church.

"The Battle of Life" was the subject last night, and the great audience listened with rapt attention throughout. Various phases of the conflict were pointed out and discussed at length, and great stress was placed on the necessary equipment. The sermon closed with a pressing invitation to all to "Enlist in the army of the King of Kings." The word picture of the final review of the Grand Army of God, when the battle had been fought, and the victory won, revealed the speaker's vivid imagery and mastery of language. Three persons united with the church at the night service.

Services were announced for each evening during the week, beginning Monday at 7:45. The Herald has been reporting for this

## LETTER TO WM. A. PICKERILL

Palestine, Texas.

Dear Sir: There are these five ways of badness in paint:

- (1) stuffed out with chalk, or something like that;
- (2) barytes, better than chalk, but no covering to it; nobody knows it's there;
- (3) benzine in the oil, or water, or other such stuffings;
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- (5) short measure;

Now will you buy by the price per "gallon?" We furnish our agents with a state chemist's certificate of analysis that tells what's in Devco.

Yours truly,

F. W. Devco & Co.,

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P. S.—C. S. Maffitt sells our paint.

A Regular Stampede of People.  
All day Friday and Saturday up until 9 p. m. there was a regular stampede of people from all the surrounding towns, as well as Palestine, who were eager to take advantage of E. S. Small's offer to properly fit them to glasses at such ridiculously low cut prices, as advertised elsewhere in this paper. The same prices prevail this week only, and in order to avoid waiting it will be to your advantage to call up by phone 2-36, and make an appointment.

E. S. Small.  
Rooms 2 and 3, Dick-Brown Building.  
5-1t

I Haven't All the Pianos I Need to keep me tuning all the year, but it has about come to the point where it is "first come first served," and if you want to get in "the game" you will have to hurry. I still need a few to make the 365. I will repair any part of the action, restring, put on rollers, in fact do anything needed on your piano, and guarantee to give you first-class service at reasonable prices. Call for H. M. Jones, 514 Oak street. Phone 526. 3-tf

During the spring every one would be benefited by taking Foley's Kidney Remedy. It furnishes a needed tonic to the kidneys after the extra strain of winter, and it purifies the blood by stimulating the kidneys, and causing them to eliminate the impurities from it. Foley's Kidney Remedy imparts new life and vigor. Pleasant to take. Bratton Drug Co.

## Easter Tide Greetings

There is no season of the year that creates greater interest in Ladies' Wearing Apparel than EASTER.

The Model, always on the alert for the newest creations, has received by Today's Express, dainty costumes from Pastal Shades Lingerie Dresses to Satin Foulards, Messelines, Rajah Silks and Taffeta Gowns. These are priced especially low, and are strictly one of a kind.

Also a full line of Repp and Linen 2 and 3 piece suits, (in all colors) — Shirtwaists, Skirts and Belts.

## THE MODEL

Next Door to Gas Office

## CLEANER PAVED STREETS

For Sunday Was a Reality in This Good Old Town Yesterday. Swept Saturday Night.

Street Supervisor Tom Britton is proving a most valuable man in that position. And he is the first man to come across and clean up the business streets Saturday night that they might be presentable over Sunday. Saturday night last, at 10 o'clock, after business was practically over for the week, the superintendent called out his street cleaning crew and made a thorough clean-up of all the business district. It was a big job and took the force at hand work from 10 to 4 Sunday morning to finish the task. But it was worth while, for when the people came to the city on their way to the church the streets looked attractive and inviting. The Herald has been reporting for this

## Y. M. C. A. NOTES.

Another Service Held at the Convict Camp—Other News.

Another splendid service was held at the convict camp yesterday afternoon. Rev. Sykes of the Episcopal church preaching the sermon. An orchestra of six pieces went along to provide music for the occasion.

Rev. Morehead of the Grace Methodist church gave a splendid address to the men at the usual 4 o'clock service yesterday afternoon. His remarks and applications were on the life of Moses, a valuable and instructive sermon to all present, and one that was very much enjoyed.

The talk on "Getting Ready," by Mr. A. L. Jackson, was a treat to the boys who heard him. Mr. Jackson knows how to talk to boys, and his remarks of yesterday will undoubtedly be long remembered by all the boys who were fortunate enough to hear him.

Active training for the annual spring gymnasium exhibition is in progress in both the junior and senior departments. No effort to specialize will be made, it being the aim to simply give the public at large an idea of the regular, systematic, body-building exercises that have been given during the past fall and winter months, both for boys and men.

## WEATHER FORECAST.

Published By Authority of the Secretary of Agriculture.

(Issued at New Orleans.)  
For Palestine and vicinity:

Tonight cloudy weather. Tuesday cloudy and colder by about 10 degrees.

Minimum temperature, 66.  
Maximum temperature, 82.

## Weather Conditions.

A storm center extends from the lake region to West Texas; it is about four hundred miles in width. It has

been attended by precipitation over the Central Rocky Mountain states, Colorado and Nebraska. Dry conditions have been general elsewhere. This storm dominates weather conditions for the entire country, excepting the southeastern coast and the North Pacific coast. It has raised the temperature generally except the Northwest and Rocky Mountain states. In the Mississippi valley and east to the coast, and over the Southwest the temperature ranges in the sixties, excepting New England. In the Rocky Mountains and Northwestern states it is below freezing, with a minimum of 20 degrees in North Dakota. In Texas it ranges from 46 degrees in the Panhandle to 72 degrees on the coast.

Cloudy weather is indicated for tonight and Tuesday in the vicinity of Palestine; colder Tuesday.  
G. Hass Hagen,  
Official in Charge.

SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS, April 4, 1909.

And Battle of Blowers, April 19 to 24, 1909.

Reduced rates will be authorized covering entire season and Popular Excursion Rates for Special Day. For further particulars see Agent I. & G. N. R. R. 3-30-20t

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Shirt Waists, 50c, 75c, \$1.00.  
Shirt Waist Suits, \$1.50, \$2.00.  
Skirts, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50.

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My heart is good and the prices are low. Bring your shoes to the Boston shoe shop and I will do you a good job. Guaranteed. 616 Spring street 11-1-tf

People past middle life usually have some kidney or bladder disorder that saps the vitality, which is naturally lower in old age. Foley's Kidney Remedy corrects urinary troubles, stimulates the kidneys, and restores strength and vigor. It cures uric acid troubles by strengthening the kidneys so they will strain out the uric acid that settles in the muscles and joints, causing rheumatism. Bratton Drug Co.

## Foley's Kidney Remedy

Cures Backache, Kidney and Bladder Trouble.

It corrects irregularities, strengthens the kidneys so they will eliminate the impurities from the blood and tones up the whole system.

Commence taking Foley's Kidney Remedy at once and avoid Bright's Disease or Diabetes. 50c and \$1.00 bottles. BRATTON DRUG CO.

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## MAY CHANGE THE ROUTE

State Railroad Is Experiencing Trouble Getting Into the City, Which May Alter Plans.

The committee representing the city and a committee representing the State Railroad were conferring Saturday relative to the difficulties encountered in attempting to enter the city, and as a result the route may be considerably altered. For many days it is announced reasonable compromises have been attempted to secure the desirable right-of-way, but with little success. The railroad builders and the citizens' committee can only see delay in an attempt to go the route already decided upon, and as a result the road may swerve further to the south, swing around, and approach the town where the land is not held at \$100 an acre and some land

sary to follow the present route.

The Herald learns other surveys are to be made, in an effort to secure a cheaper entrance into the city, and as a consequence the work of construction near the city will be temporarily suspended.

## BOND FIXED AT \$500.

Negro Woman Who Killed Husband Friday Is Allowed Small Bail.

From the evidence before Justice Dexter this morning it appears that the negro woman, Ocie Callier, charged with the killing of her husband in the northeastern part of the county, acted in defense of her life. After hearing the evidence Justice Dexter set her bond at \$500. The Herald was misinformed when told the woman used the gun as a club. She shot her husband.

## Grievance Committee Here.

The grievance committee of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen is here today in conference with the officials of the I. & G. N. railroad, discussing matters.

## Onion Train Passes.

Today the regular onion special on the I. & G. N. passed through the city with sixteen cars of onions. The crop is moving pretty lively now, and the prices are said to be good.

SPECIAL FLOWER SALE beginning Monday, April 5th, lasting until entire lot is sold. This consignment, just received, is the best we have ever had, and quality taken in consideration, the best value for the money you ever saw. The Ark, 5, 10 and 25 Cent Store. 2-4t

Another excellent high-priced assortment of flowers just received to sell at a special low price. Sale begins Monday, April 5th, lasting until entire lot is sold. The Ark, 5, 10 and 25 Cent Store. 2-4t

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